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Sir:

This responds to the non-final Office Action dated August 22, 2006. This paper is set forth as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

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